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FILIPINOS EXPIATE MURDERS

'Killed Man by Accident,' Says
Domingo Rodrigues on
Scaffold

GO BRAVELY TO DEATH
Trio Is Executed Without Any
Further Statement Being
Made About Crimes

"I am being sent out of the territory because I killed a man by accident," said Domingo Rodrigues in broken English at 8:25 this morning, and one minute later the trap was sprung that sent him and Miguel Manigbas into eternity. This was the last word uttered by any of the trio hanged for the brutal murder of Mue Kum Yee and his wife, Hilda Bautista following his companions in crime to the scaffold at 8:47.

The trap was dropped at 8:26 for the hanging of Rodrigues and Manigbas and they were declared dead by Prison Physician W. L. Moore at 8:38, exactly 12 minutes being consumed by the executioners in passing out. At 9:00 the trap was sprung for Bautista and at 9:00 o'clock he was pronounced dead.

Each of the doomed men carried out to the end the bravado which has characterized them for the last few days, each walking to the scaffold without aid and each going to his death with a forced smile on his face. But for the above quoted statement by Rodrigues, not a word was uttered on the scaffold after Rev. E. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal

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PHYSICIAN MAY BE FACING BIGAMY CHARGE

But Police Maintain Woman
with Hartman Admits She Is
Not His Wife

A young man and woman sat in the rear room of the jailer's quarters at the city and county jail this morning, striving hard to smile, and declaring that their love for each other would never end. Dr. Pope C. Hartman, the young man, was arrested yesterday evening at 5 o'clock on a cable order from the San Jose police to hold him on a charge of felony, and the young woman, who represents herself to be his wife, has been under the care of a trained nurse following the shock experienced when Dr. Hartman was taken in custody.

Dr. Hartman and the young woman who is said to be his wife were first-class passengers on the Oceanic liner Ventura, with through tickets to Australia, and Hartman was arrested just before the steamer's gangplank went up.

According to information by the police this morning, the woman has made statements to them that she is not Hartman's wife and they say that she told them she was a nurse in California. Furthermore, the police

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ASKS DIVORCE; CHARGES SHE WAS BEATEN

Alleging that her husband, J. W. Kershner, head of the Kershner Vulcanizing Works, beat her in the presence of his employees at the office on Alakea street last Wednesday, and that he then led her into the rear room of the establishment and proceeded to kick her, Mrs. Ada M. Kershner this morning filed a petition in circuit court asking for a decree of absolute divorce, on the grounds of extreme cruelty.

Mrs. Kershner, who is named in the city directory as officially the treasurer of the vulcanizing firm, is a comely young woman well known among the automobile owners of Honolulu, as she has also acted as business solicitor for her husband's enterprise.

In her petition she alleges other acts of extreme cruelty, though they are not specified in detail as was the husband's latest alleged assault. The papers were to be served on Kershner today.

Monuments

The largest stock in the city to select from.

M. HENDRICKS, LTH.

HIGH MASONS IN HONOLULU ON A TOUR OF INSPECTION



Grand Master Wm. P. Filmer and Grand Lecturer T. J. Baker of California. Star-Bulletin Staff Photographer.

Grand Master Filmer and Grand Lecturer Baker Will Pay Visit to All Local Lodges

With a view to making an official visit to and inspection of the local lodges of Free and Accepted Masons, Grand Master William P. Filmer, of the Grand Lodge F. and A. M. of the jurisdiction of California, arrived in Honolulu from San Francisco on the Wilhelmna this morning accompanied by a party of five persons. Besides Grand Master Filmer, those included in the party are Mrs. W. P. Filmer, Miss Marion Filmer, Grand Lecturer T. J. Baker, F. and A. M.; Mrs. Baker and H. G. Hideron, prominent in the Scottish Rite Masonry of Oakland, California.

A delegation consisting of the masters of the three local blue lodges, J. R. M. McLean of Hawaiian, W. H. Goetz of Oceanic and J. F. Fenwick of Honolulu, boarded a launch and steamed out to the Wilhelmna, going aboard and accompanying the visitors to the dock. A committee consisting of C. G. Bockus, T. H. Petrie, Wallace R. Farrington, M. P. Robinson and Charles R. Frazier was in waiting at the wharf and escorted the party by automobile to the Young Hotel. A brief interview was secured with Grand Master Filmer at the hotel, he saying that, while his trip to Honolulu was purely one of business in connection with an inspection of local lodge work, he intended to make the most of his stay by taking in the many places of interest in and about the city.

"This is my first visit to Honolulu," he said, "and as yet I have not had enough time to form much of an impression. However, the little I have

seen of your city is very pleasant and I speak for the entire party when I say that I am intensely gratified for the warm reception which was tendered both aboard the vessel and at the wharf. We intend leaving tomorrow afternoon for Hilo where a visit to the Kilauea Lodge, F. and A. M., will be made and incidentally a trip to the volcano of Kilauea of which we have heard a great deal."

When asked as to the standing of the local Masonic lodges, Grand Master Filmer said: "In the jurisdiction of California, we count the members of the Hawaiian lodges as among our most enthusiastic and zealous masons. This was shown recently at the time of the Ohio floods, by the very liberal contributions toward the relief of the sufferers from fire and flood which were made by the local lodges. The personnel of these lodges is of a high order, characterized by loyalty to the mother jurisdiction."

Grand Master Filmer is also inspector-general of the Scottish Rite of the northern jurisdiction of California, and is invested with a special commission to visit officially the Scottish Rite lodges in the islands. At half-past nine o'clock the members of the party left the hotel on a sight seeing trip to places of interest in and about Honolulu, including Diamond Head, the Palis, the Aquarium and Punchbowl. They were accompanied by the committee which welcomed them at the dock. The party

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SWITCH ENGINE KILLS MAN IN FREIGHT YARDS

G. L. Weisman, for forty years a resident of the islands, and of late making Honolulu his home, was fatally injured at 11 o'clock last night while in the act of crossing the tracks in the yards of the Oahu Railway and Land Company.

Switching engine No. 10, with several loaded cars attached, struck Weisman as he was passing between the freight depot and the Wells Fargo Express warehouse.

Jo Lili, an employee of the railway company, was the first to hear cries that indicated that an accident had occurred. The mangled form of Weisman was found lying along the side of the track, his hip broken and many bruises and cuts on other portions of his body.

Eye witnesses to the collision state that Weisman was dragged a distance of about ten feet.

He was still alive but unconscious when taken to the Queen's hospital. At 1 o'clock this morning Weisman breathed his last.

Engine No. 10 is said to have a considerable string of accidents to its credit. According to police records this switch engine has figured in a number of fatalities, and in some quarters has become known as a "hoodoo" engine.

Deputy Sheriff and Coroner Charles Rose made an investigation of the accident and summoned a number of witnesses including members of the train crew to appear at the inquest, which probably will be conducted at central police station tomorrow.

The deceased was well known to the local German colony. He had no regular occupation, gaining a livelihood by performing odd jobs. As far as is known, he had no family.

The funeral will take place under the auspices of a German benevolent society.

CARDINALS TELL OF BASEBALL IN MIKADO'S REALM

Fresh from the baseball conquest of Japan, eleven college athletes who sport the cardinal of Stanford university landed from the liner Nippon Maru this morning and proceeded to greet old friends and make new ones. The Stanford team will play six games here, the first being against the All-Serve combination at Moiliili field, tomorrow afternoon.

The collegians met with stubborn resistance from the ball tossers of the Mikado's land, and although they won seven games out of the 11 played, they had to work hard for the long end of the score. The Japanese gave their visitors a splendid time both on and off the field, and the returning players are loud in their praises of the treatment received on the trip.

"Baseball in Japan isn't much different from baseball in the states, once the game is on," said Manager R. W. Wilcox this morning. "The language of the game is the same, but the umpire's supply of English is somewhat limited, and when they had to say anything more than 'ball,' 'strike' or 'out' they usually had to call on an interpreter. The umpiring was good for the most part, though, the officials giving us a square deal."

"The Japanese are crazy about baseball and big crowds turned out to see the games. We played eight with Kelo, winning five; two with Meiji, breaking even, and one with the Waseda alumni, which went into our win column. I should say that we averaged about 8,000 at the games, with the exception of two which we played against Keio at Osaka and Nagoya, to open new ball parks. For these two exhibitions no admission was charged, and about 20,000 turned out for each."

Wilcox said that the fielding of the

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J. F. HACKFELD RETURNS HERE VERY OPTIMISTIC

Anticipates Removal of Tariff
by Present Congress and
Its Later Reinstatement

J. F. Hackfeld, head of the firm of Hackfeld & Company, arrived in Honolulu this morning on the steamer Wilhelmna. Since leaving here he has spent most of his time in Germany. A few minutes after the steamer docked, Mr. Hackfeld was at his desk, a pile of correspondence before him.

During his absence he has kept in close touch with the tariff affairs at Washington, and though he says he is now satisfied that the Wilson-Underwood measure, with the free-sugar-in-three-years clause, will be passed by congress, he is optimistic as to its effect upon the local industry. He is also confident that if congress passes the bill taking the tariff off sugar, his work will be annulled by a future congress by restoring the tariff to its present rate.

"Whatever is done will not destroy our industry," he declared. "It may mean that we must economize, to meet the new conditions, but it does not mean that we must give up our industry."

In Germany, he said, he found monetary conditions to be poor, though steadily improving, the unsatisfactory money market probably being due to the long fighting in Southern Europe, the influence of which has been felt in all commercial centers of the world.

"I was glad to see conditions improving before I left, and I look to see them recover to the normal shortly," he said this morning in an interview with a representative of the Star-Bulletin.

"As for the conditions here, I have every confidence that they will improve. It is natural that there should

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ADMIRAL BROWN WAS WELL KNOWN IN OLD HAWAII

Late Commander Visited Here
in 1891, During Days of
Power of Monarchy.

In a condensed news item by mail is recorded the death of a naval commander who figured prominently in the later royal hostilities of Honolulu, prior to the overthrow of the monarchy, and who may safely be said to have been the most popular officer of the United States navy visiting here in many years.

Reference is to Rear Admiral George Brown, retired, who died recently at his home in Indianapolis. He represented the United States government as host in carrying King Kalakaua to San Francisco in the U. S. S. Charleston late in 1890, but only to bring back the body of the dead monarch a few months later in the same ship. Remaining for some months after the funeral of the king, he flew his flag successfully on the Philadelphia and the Boston, the Charleston having left here, and finally on the Philadelphia, in which he sailed hence. Not long thereafter the Boston and her commander, Captain Wiltse, played a large part in making history for Hawaii.

While the two cruisers were here together, there was a gay round of entertainments—receptions at the palace by Queen Liliuokalani to the naval officers, return receptions on board the ships and, finally, Admiral Brown's farewell reception on the Philadelphia.

Most notable of all the series of festivities, as illustrating the popularity of Admiral Brown with the natives especially, was the revival of the ancient ceremony of the "hookup" in his honor. This was given on the Brewer wharf, which was piled high with the gifts of the natives, con-

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"HUI NALU TEAM IS CREDIT TO HONOLULU."--H. P. WOOD

INJURY TO MRS.
WOOD IS CAUSE
OF SHORT TRIP

"I want to speak first of the admirable way in which the members of the Hui Nalu swimming team and the swimmers who accompanied them, impressed the people of San Francisco," said H. P. Wood, secretary of the promotion committee and director of the Hawaii fair commission, when asked for an interview this morning shortly after his arrival from San Francisco in the Wilhelmna, accompanied by Mrs. Wood. "They are a splendid lot of young fellows and conducted themselves at all times like gentlemen, and I heard many remarks concerning the fine appearance they made. Mr. Rawlins has acted like a big brother to them and is a fine manager. Hawaii should consider herself fortunate in having such a fine representation."

Mr. Wood was forced to give up his trip through the States and Canada on account of an accident on board the Sierra in which Mrs. Wood was severely injured. San Francisco physicians advocated her immediate return to Honolulu and it was necessary for Mr. Wood to accompany her recovery. She is now on a fair road to recovery, but Mr. Wood does not intend returning to the mainland until

November, at which time a branch of the local promotion committee will be opened in San Francisco.

"Shortly before leaving the coast city for Honolulu," continued Mr. Wood, "I had an interview with James D. Dougherty, who has been appointed director-general of next year's Floral Parade and Carnival. As soon as he reached San Francisco he commenced his work of gathering data and information, and already has made arrangements with the Matson Navigation Company and other large concerns of a like nature, to enter floats in the 1915 pageant, and I believe that the exposition people have also promised to enter something. Mr. Dougherty is meeting with great success in all his undertakings and he is sure to return to Honolulu with unlimited new suggestions and ideas."

"I have found from the different steamship companies in San Francisco that there is an outlook for a greater tourist travel to Hawaii during the next year than has ever been experienced before. Already bookings are being made for February on all lines will be full up on every trip here. I met a number of persons who were in Honolulu for the floral parade and carnival this year, and they

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HAWAII'S COMMISSION FULLY ARMED, SAY THE MAINLANDERS

Hawaii's public utilities commission is not a weakling, as was charged when it was created by the last legislature, but is equipped with unusually full powers, according to the opinion of mainland commissions.

Chairman E. A. Mott-Smith, who has been writing to the various commissions of the mainland states to secure general information on their work, has received a number of letters in reply which show unmistakably that the territorial body has been given what are regarded as extremely broad powers. In fact, the chairman of Oklahoma commission writes:

"We feel that you are fortunate that your powers are circumscribed only by the Constitution of the United States. They are just as they should be."

"A study of the act," comments Chairman Mott-Smith, "proves that we have been given plenty of power, and even in rate-making we are well-armed. In fact, it is recognized now, I think, that the bill as passed had the necessary teeth."

The commission has selected an office on the fifth floor of the Stangenwald building and will open up for business on July 15. Chairman Mott-Smith is carrying out a policy of rigid economy in his preparations. He will not even engage a stenographer as yet, and he is furnishing the office largely by the use of his well-known persuasive powers on friends who happen to have desks, chairs, tables or filing-cases scattered around their own

offices when he strolls in for a visit. He will be able to furnish the office almost completely without spending any money.

While he is serving in his dual capacity as commission chairman and secretary of the territory, the clerical work will be carried on with the assistance of some of the force in the secretary's office. Mr. Mott-Smith is doing a good deal of the clerical work himself.

AD CLUB WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

This week's meeting of the Honolulu Ad Club will be held tomorrow, Wednesday noon, at the Palm Cafe. Geo. W. Curtis will tell of the great convention at Baltimore.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—Sugar: Beets: 85 analysis. 3s. 3d. Parity, 2.93 cents. Previous quotation, 2.93d.

Fifteen workmen were buried under a falling wall and scaffolding of a garage in Cleveland, Ohio. Six were seriously injured.

SERVIANS IN RETREAT LEAVE WOUNDED TO DIE

Victorious Bulgars Press Main Serb Army So Fiercely That
Fallen Men Cannot Be Cared For and Appeal Is Made for
French Army Surgeons and Nurses—Disease Feared

[Associated Press Cable]

VIENNA, Austria, July 8.—The terrific battles of the last few days have brought about a frightful condition of affairs in the Macedonian lines. The Bulgars, victorious after a series of desperate engagements, are now reported to be menacing the retreat of the main Serb army.

So closely are the Serbs pressed, and so heavy have been their losses, that they are unable to care for their dead and wounded. They have appealed for French army surgeons and nurses. Outbreak of disease, such as swept the Turkish camps, is now feared.

Democrats Claim Will Have Majority Of One For Tariff

[Associated Press Cable]

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—The Democratic caucus deliberations have shown that the Democrats will have a majority of one in the upper house to support the Wilson-Underwood tariff bill, it is claimed by senate leaders.

60,000 Black Miners Strike

[Associated Press Cable]

JOHANNESBURG, Transvaal, July 8.—Sixty thousand black miners who have been employed, largely under strict guard, in the rich mines of the Rand, last night broke from the compounds where their camps are situated and rioted. They are demanding higher pay. Their outbreak is a result of the Rand strike which was temporarily compromised yesterday.

Havana Generals Fight To Death

[Associated Press Cable]

HAVANA, Cuba, July 8.—Gen. Armando Riva, chief of the national police and head of the police system in this city, is dying today from the effects of a gunshot received last night in the course of a pistol fight with Gen. Ernesto Asbert, governor of the province of Havana. The men quarreled and this led to the shooting affray.

Railroad Men May Strike

[Associated Press Cable]

NEW YORK, N. Y., July 8.—Ninety-four per cent of the 74,593 members of the eastern Railway Trainmen & Conductors unions have voted to strike for an increase in wages. The demand is being considered by the railway operators.

Tenth Army Aviator Killed

[Associated Press Cable]

HOUSTON, Tex., July 8.—Lieut. Loren Call, army aviator, was killed here today in a biplane accident. He is the tenth army aviator to be killed.

Jack London Goes Under Knife

[Associated Press Cable]

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 8.—Jack London, the noted author, was operated on for appendicitis here today.

Suffragettes Burn Mansion

[Associated Press Cable]

LONDON, Eng., July 8.—Militant suffragettes last night burned the country mansion of Sir William Lever, causing a \$100,000 loss.

HILO SESSION OF COURT TO BE SHORT

[Special Star-Bulletin Wireless]

HILO, July 8.—From today's developments at the special session of the United States district court in this city it appears likely that the Hilo term will be much shorter than had been anticipated, and that all cases may be disposed of in time for the court officials to catch the boat for Honolulu next Friday.

It had been expected that the session would occupy at least two or three weeks, but eleven of the cases set for trial were continued this morning for the term, leaving only three remaining on the calendar. These are the opium charges against Peter Hartung, Ah Sing and Tang Nam. The Hartung case goes on for trial this afternoon at 2 o'clock and the other two have been continued pending the verdict in the Hartung case, with the likelihood that these defendants may plead guilty.

The other cases were continued on motion of Attorney Carl S. Carlsmith, who appeared for the firm of Kinney, Anderson & Marx, counsel for defendants. The defendants are—Joseph Barker, opium; Charles Kaina, Frank Wilmot, Fred K. Keomaka, Joseph Barker and Fred Low, conspiracy; Fred K. Keomaka, perjury before the U. S. Commissioner; Fred Low, perjury before grand jury; Charles Kaina and Fred K. Keomaka, opium. The case of Felicia Santiago, bigamy, also was continued for the term.

This probably means that another special session may be held at Hilo some time in the fall, unless the fall term in Honolulu is very busy.

Young women, big feet in white boots can be seen a block away!

TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

[Associated Press Cable]
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At New York—Chicago 5, New York 6.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 2, Brooklyn 1.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 6. Ten innings.
At Boston—St. Louis 2, Boston 6.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
All games postponed.

ANOTHER COLONEL COMING FOR THE FIRST INFANTRY

The First Infantry is soon to have an additional colonel, attached to the regiment to act as executive officer, and relieve Colonel McGinnis, who carries the responsibilities of the latest post in the army on his shoulders, from some of the detail of his own organization.

War department orders just received designate Colonel Edwin P. Pendleton for this duty. He has been attached to the 26th Infantry, but is transferred to attachment with the First, and will probably arrive on the August transport.

Word has been received here that Lieutenant-Colonel B. W. Atkinson, recently assigned to the Second Infantry, has taken an extended leave, and will not join his regiment until October.

Commander Clark D. Stearns, U. S. N., spent several hours in Honolulu yesterday, while the liner Ventura was in port. He is the newly appointed governor of American Samoa, and while in the city was entertained by Rear Admiral Moore, who held the Samoan governorship a few years ago.